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For: STRUCTURAL MEMBER COMPRISING A BODY AND REINFORCING RIBS AND

CORRESPONDING MOTOR VEHICLE

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted (copy attached), Applicant encloses a substitute specification whereby the application now contains the proper margins.

No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
 - Papers contain improper margins. Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4")

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